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In response to the final Office Action dated March 24, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

A complete listing of all claims is provided herewith in the **Attachment**. It will be noted that claims 1, 2 17, 30, 31 and 37 are currently amended, while claim 36 has been canceled.

REMARKS

By this Amendment, independent claims 1, 17, 30 and 31 have been similarly amended to better define the invention. In addition, dependent claim 2 has been amended for better clarity, while dependent claim 37 has amended consistent with the changes to independent claim 31 from which it depends and the deletion of claim 36. It is submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance for the following reasons.

In the *Claim Rejections* - 35 USC § 102 section of the Detailed Action, claims 1-5, 13-22, 29-38, and 41-43 were rejected as being anticipated by Colley (US.